Docket No. 00-507 1496.00090

## DECLARATION, POWER OF ATTORNEY AND PETITION

We, the undersigned inventors, hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are given next to my name;

We believe that we are the first, original and joint inventors of the subject matter claimed in the application for patent entitled "HEADER DETECT CONFIGURATION WITHIN A DVD-RAM READ DEVICE AND METHODS OF ACQUIRING AND MAINTAINING PHASE LOCK IN A WOBBLE PHASE LOCK LOOP", which:

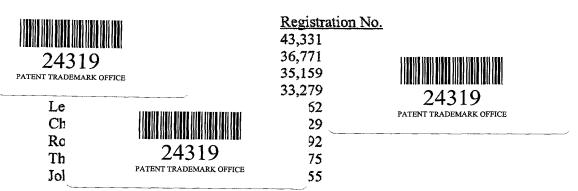
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We have reviewed and unders (hereinafter, "this application")	stand the contents of the above-ide, including the claims;	entified application for patent
of this application. We also ack	r Title 37, Code of Federal Regulatio demark Office information known to nowledge that information is materia dy provided to the United States Pat	be material to the patentability
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We hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

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Where the subject matter of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the United States or PCT priority patent applications identified above, we acknowledge the duty to disclose information known to be material to the patentability of this application that became available between the filing dates of this application and of the priority United States or PCT patent applications.

We hereby appoint as our attorneys with full power of substitution to prosecute this application and conduct all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office associated with this application:



We declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of this application or any patent issuing thereon.

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